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DIR INFO ERAN BONN GMNY ☐ CITE ☐ 8032

DIZTAG CAVATA ☐

REF ☐ 30316

15 MAR 65 IN 31349
 PET DOI 70-17

1. REQUEST TRACES U.S. FILES ONLY: WERNFRIED PFAFF, BORN 14 FEB 15 BRANDAU, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WEST GERMAN RESIDENT, OCCUPATION UNKNOWN (POSSIBLY SALES AGENT FOR VARIOUS TECHNICAL FIRMS INCLUDING PHILLIPS BRN). DURING WWII PFAFF WAS SICHERHEITSDIENST OBERSTURMFUEHRER IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. CAPTURED BY RUSSIANS, WAS TURNED OVER TO CZECHS FOR TRIAL AND SENTENCED 20 YEARS PRISON. AMNESTIED 1955, PFAFF WENT WEST GERMANY. IN INITIAL CAVATA INTERROGATIONS PFAFF ADMITTED BOTH SOVIETS AND CZECHS HAD TRIED RECRUIT HIM, CLAIMS HE REFUSED BOTH. CAVATA HAS CONFLICTING TESTIMONY FROM OTHER FORMER POWS. PFAFF CURRENTLY UNDER DISCREET INVESTIGATION BY CAVATA, AT ☐ BEHEST, FOLLOWING SURVEILLANCE OF CLANDESTINE MEETING IN VERVIERS, BELGIUM, 20 FEB 65, WHEN PFAFF MET BY IDENTIFIED MV STAFF OFFICER STANISLAV SROUBEK ☐

2. BONN ☐: NEITHER CAVATA NOR NIGALES AWARE KUBARK IN ON PFAFF CASE, THUS IT IMPORTANT THERE BE NO DISCUSSIONS WITH LIAISON
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AWARE OF IT.

3. REFERENCE CONTAINS DETAILED REPORT OF OPS DETAILS. SOURCE
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